## LEAVENWORTH COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## **Leavenworth County Health Department COVID-19 Update**

Today (03-24-2020) at 4:00 PM, the Leavenworth County Health Department (LCHD) reports the following:

Total Tested (County Health and Private)	94
Total tested by Leavenworth County Health Dept.	46
Negative results	34
Test that are pending	7
Positive results	5
Private lab tested	48
Negative results	36
Tests that are pending	9
Positive results	3
Total known positive results in Leavenworth County	8

Law enforcement guidelines for social distancing and essential travel have been developed by Leavenworth County and went into effect today, Tuesday, March 24, 2020 at 12:01 AM. https://www.leavenworthcounty.gov/covid/publications/3.24.20PublicTravelandMovement.pdf

"It is important to remember that the cases being reported only reflect laboratory-confirmed cases. The amount of call volume and emails to the Joint Information Center demonstrates a greater amount of presumptive cases within Leavenworth County that cannot be tested." -Leavenworth County Public Health Officer, Jamie Miller. "Leavenworth County Health Department continues to stress the importance of staying home and social distancing if you must go out."

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